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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE JANUARY 17, 2003, OFFICE ACTION
AND PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Dear Sir:

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This Amendment is being submitted in response to the January 17, 2003, Office Action issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office issued in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the outstanding Office Action is due on July 17, 2003. Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action. The required fee for this three-month extension of time is \$465.00, and a check in the amount of \$465.00 is enclosed. A response to the Office Action with a three-month extension of time is due July 17, 2003. Accordingly, this Amendment is timely filed.

Please amend the subject application as follows:

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In the title:

On page 1, line 1, please replace the title, "PSCA: PROSTATE STEM CELL ANTIGEN
AND USES THEREOF" with the following:

-- METHODS FOR INDUCING AN IMMUNE RESPONSE TO CANCERS
EXPRESSING PSCA --